

Wood Badge 2017 Ticket Tracking

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# Wood Badge Ticket Worksheet

A Personal Vision of Success

Name: James Spencer Patterson, Jr. S7-602-17 Patrol: Antelope

My Scouting position: Assistant Scout Master Troop #553 and Lodge Nawakwa # 3 Chapter #5 Nagatamen

The team that will benefit from my leadership: Troop #553 and OA Chapter #3

<p style="text-align: right;"><b>Scouting's Values:</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Scout Oath</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>On my honor, I will do my best To do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; To help other people at all times; To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Scout Law</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>A Scout is Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty, Brave, Clean, and Reverent.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Scouting's Mission Statement</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.</i></p>
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My vision of success and the related plan of action is:

A vision is an experience of seeing a dream or realization of future success. Our vision is formed when we think far enough ahead to realize that there will be challenges for which we can prepare, and then accomplishing that task.

I am currently an Assistant Scout Master with Troop #553 in Mechanicsville, VA and with Order of the Arrow Chapter #3.

I want to be best person that I can be for our troop by helping to expand our troop through leadership, training and recruitment of both adults and youth members.

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**Wood Badge Ticket Goal Sheet** Goal # 1

Name: James Spencer Patterson, Jr. S7-602-17 Patrol: Antelope

My Scouting position: Assistant Scout Master Troop #553 and Lodge Nawakwa # 3 Chapter #5 Nagatamen

The team that will benefit from my leadership: by expansion leadership, training and additional funds to our troop account.

SMART goal: **(Specific)** Troop Fundraising

Who: All adult leaders, troop, and all parents

What: Brunswick Stew pre-sale/sale day of event

Where: American Legion normal meeting place 8700 Bellcreek Road, Mechanicsville, VA 23116

When: to be determined within the next six months or less.

Why: This will strengthen and benefit the troop through team work, trust, troop involvement and funds to be added to the troop account.

How: By asking area businesses for donations for the items needed to make the stew or for the families of the troop to make donations. If enough donations are not collected, the Troop will provide the additional items that are needed which should not be of a substantial size and they will be paid back with profits from the sale from the stew.

How you will determine the task is complete: The progress will be measured at the end of the day when the proceeds are added to the troop account, and we can all take a step back to see the tasks that we had at hand and see that we together as a team accomplished our tasks and goals together. (Together Everyone Achieves More)

There is no "I" in team only an us. We all have to stick together as a team to accomplish goals and tasks at hand.

**Measurable:** Describe how completion of this Ticket Goal is Measurable?? How will you know when the Goal is accomplished? By the pre-sale of the stew, and the turn out (support) of the community the day of the event.

**Attainable:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is Attainable? Can you accomplish it? The stew fund raiser is an overnight and partial day event. The troop will work through the night to cook the stew in shifts with everyone's participation. It will also be an opportunity for the boys and families to camp out and work together as a family unit.

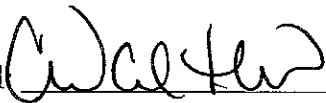
**Relevant:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is important and Relevant to you, your scouting position and your Unit Group. Is it part of your Scouting job?

I am one of the Assistant Scout Masters of our Troop, and I lead by example. Everyone in our troop, community and charter will be there to support our fundraiser.

**Time Based:** Describe the timeline of this Ticket Goal and how it will be accomplished on time. Once the date is chosen within the next six months. The troop will work together to pre-sell the stew and raise awareness to the community before the actual event so that it is a success.

The key to making the skills you learned at the Wood Badge course a part of your leadership style is to practice using them. List the skills (old and new) that will help you accomplish this Goal and how you plan to use them. Skills old/new that will help accomplish this goal are leadership, planning, communication, teamwork and organization. To lead by example, be proactive, to communicate the needs and actions necessary to obtain the goal. Leading our scouts and our community by pre-selling our stew and having an area that is easily accessible and in view of our community's eyes. The stew sale will have many roles and responsibilities of each youth and adult troop participant to ensure our success.

Troop Guide goal approval



Date: 10/14/17

**Wood Badge Ticket Goal Sheet** Goal # 2

Name: James Spencer Patterson, Jr. S7-602-17 Patrol: Antelope

My Scouting position: Assistant Scout Master Troop #553 and Lodge Nawakwa # 3 Chapter #5 Nagatamen

The team that will benefit from my leadership: by expansion leadership, training and recruitment.

SMART goal: **(Specific)** Training

Who: Training for myself and our troop.

What: Fire Safety and First Aid


Where: American Legion normal meeting place 8700 Bell Creek Road, Mechanicsville, VA 23116 possibly at Farrington Station #11 Hanover County, VA.

When: Hopefully before year-end at latest by first quarter 2018.

Why: Several of the Scouts have asked for this training, with my years of experience as a volunteer firefighter and EMT for Hanover County I have the skill set to help the Scouts obtain this request. It also helps bring light to what a first responders job entails and how they can help their community.

How: The progress will be measured at the end of the day when the troop is able to review what they have learned from the day, and show the skills that they learned. We can all take a step back to see the skills learned, and growth from the day of training.

How you will determine the task is complete: By the end of the training.

Troop Guide goal approval:  Date: 10/14/17

**Measurable:** Describe how completion of this Ticket Goal is Measurable? How will you know when the Goal is accomplished? The completion of this task will be measured by the completion of training sessions, and earning the merit badges.

**Attainable:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is Attainable? Can you accomplish it? The training sessions should be no more than eight-hour class on a Saturday or working with the Scouts at troop meetings for about four weeks. Yes, I can accomplish this goal.

**Relevant:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is important and Relevant to you, your scouting position and your Unit Group. Is it part of your Scouting job? The training will put important values of Scouting back into the Scouts and the adult leaders. This is part of my Scouting job.

**Time Based:** Describe the timeline of this Ticket Goal and how it will be accomplished on time. The training will take place before the end of June 2018.

The key to making the skills you learned at the Wood Badge course a part of your leadership style is to practice using them. List the skills (old and new) that will help you accomplish this Goal and how you plan to use them. I will use EDGE, team, communications methods and skills that I have learned not only to teach but to include our scouts.

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**Wood Badge Ticket Goal Sheet** Goal # 3

Name: James Spencer Patterson, Jr. S7-602-17 Patrol: Antelope

My Scouting position: Assistant Scout Master Troop #553 and Lodge Nawakwa # 3 Chapter #5 Nagatamen

The team that will benefit from my leadership: \_\_\_\_\_

SMART goal: **(Specific)** Diversity (Bring a friend overnight camping trip)

Who: Troop #553 and a friend for each Scout if possible, and enough adults for supervision.

What: To show other youth how fun Scouting is, and the friendships they have been able to develop over the years.

Where: Friend of J.R. Long's in Black Creek, VA

When: Before June 2018

Why: Organizational, diversity and developing relationships, trust and teamwork.

How: By the troop, their friend involvement throughout the overnight camping trip ~~the weekend.~~

How you will determine the task is complete: Once the overnight camping trip ~~weekend~~ is complete before closing have each Scout and friend talk about their experiences what they learned, and what memory they created.

Troop Guide goal approval:  Date: 10/19/17

**Measurable:** Describe how completion of this Ticket Goal is Measurable?? How will you know when the Goal is accomplished? By the amount of participation, fun, learning experience each boy will receive.

**Attainable:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is Attainable? Can you accomplish it? The Troop will camp at a friend of J.R. Long's in Black Creek, VA where the Scouts are used to going there is the opportunity to hike, explore, watch wildlife, learn about the history of the Civil War, and star gazing. I can accomplish this.

**Relevant:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is important and Relevant to you, your scouting position and your Unit Group. Is it part of your Scouting job? By introducing boys who have not been around Scouting to the joy and adventure of the great outdoors through fun, teamwork and communication. Yes, this is part of my Scouting job.

**Time Based:** Describe the timeline of this Ticket Goal and how it will be accomplished on time. This will be a weekend camping trip by June 2018.

The key to making the skills you learned at the Wood Badge course a part of your leadership style is to practice using them. List the skills (old and new) that will help you accomplish this Goal and how you plan to use them. Skills old/new that will help accomplish this goal are leadership, planning, communication, teamwork and organization. To lead by example, be proactive, to communicate the needs and actions necessary to obtain the goal. Leading our scouts and our community by showing boys who normally do not get to get outside and do something out of their comfort zone that there is a huge world out there to be explored and people who want to share their experiences with them. I will focus on basic Scouts skills and utilize older scouts to teach the skills.



**Wood Badge Ticket Goal Sheet** Goal # 4

Name: James Spencer Patterson, Jr. S7-602-17 Patrol: Antelope

My Scouting position: Assistant Scout Master Troop #553 and Lodge Nawakwa # 3 Chapter #5 Nagatamen

The team that will benefit from my leadership: The community

SMART goal: **(Specific)** I will work with the SPL to guide him on how to enhance and clean up the undergrowth at American Legion normal meeting place 8700 Bell Creek Road, Mechanicsville, VA 23116

Who: Entire troop and adult family members, and siblings who are old enough to participate.

What: Remove several dead trees, clean up over grown brush, and make a better picnic area that our military families who are involved at the American Legion, Scouts and our community can enjoy.

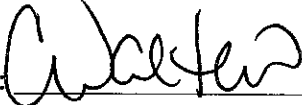
Where: American Legion normal meeting place 8700 Bell Creek Road, Mechanicsville, VA 23116

When: to be completed before June 2018 has to be approved by the American Legion council. This has been discussed, and mostly agreed upon, but not acted on

Why: To show our troop that we need to take care of our meeting place, the people who allow us to use their facilities, proper respect to show our country, state, community, and organizations in the area.

How: By our troop and family involvement in the completion of the project.

How you will determine the task is complete: The task will be complete when the troop family and American Legion family agree that the task is complete.

Troop Guide goal approval:  Date: 10/14/17

**Measurable:** Describe how completion of this Ticket Goal is Measurable?? How will you know when the Goal is accomplished? By the completion of this project, each Scout will have pride, dignity, and the education of working together and communicating to perform a task, and how working together as a team the task is easily accomplished.

**Attainable:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is Attainable? Can you accomplish it? All materials will be donated and will only take one or two weekends maximum to complete.

**Relevant:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is important and Relevant to you, your scouting position and your Unit Group. Is it part of your Scouting job? As an Assistant Scout Master, member of the OA, a volunteer firefighter it is my duty and obligation to teach our scouts why it is important to show respect to our country, state, county, community and organizations.

**Time Based:** Describe the timeline of this Ticket Goal and how it will be accomplished on time. This project will take one or two weekends maximum.

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**Wood Badge Ticket Goal Sheet** Goal # 5

Name: James Spencer Patterson, Jr. S7-602-17 Patrol: Antelope

My Scouting position: Assistant Scout Master Troop #553 and Lodge Nawakwa # 3 Chapter #5 Nagatamen

The team that will benefit from my leadership: Myself and our troop

SMART goal: **(Specific)** EDGE Training (Taking the adult Trainers Edge course)

Who: Myself

What: Adult training for the EDGE method

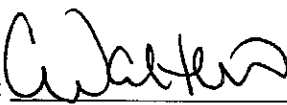
Where: Location to be determined upon registering for class.

When: Before year-end 2018

Why: The adult EDGE method training will help me in that I will be able to properly train Scouts, and feel more confident in my decision-making skills.

How: Completion of the course.

How you will determine the task is complete: Completion of the course and receipt of certificate.

Troop Guide goal approval:  Date: 10/14/17

**Measurable:** Describe how completion of this Ticket Goal is Measurable?? How will you know when the Goal is accomplished? This is an eight-hour course, and the training will be documented at the completion of the course.

**Attainable:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is Attainable? Can you accomplish it? The course is one day on a Saturday, and I can complete the course.

**Relevant:** Describe how this Ticket Goal is important and Relevant to you, your scouting position and your Unit Group. Is it part of your Scouting job? This course will enable us to help the Scouts in our troop to accomplish any task. This is part of my Scouting job.

**Time Based:** Describe the timeline of this Ticket Goal and how it will be accomplished on time. This is an eight-hour class.

The key to making the skills you learned at the Wood Badge course a part of your leadership style is to practice using them. List the skills (old and new) that will help you accomplish this Goal and how you plan to use them. Upon completion of the class I hope to have better listening, communication, and teaching skills. It is my hope that what I have been able to learn will help me to show, and teach the EDGE method more thoroughly to our Scouts.